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In re Patent Application of:
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For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ENABLING
TRANSACTION-BASED SERVICE
UTILIZING NON-TRANSACTIONAL
RESOURCES**

Examiner: N. R. Shah

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 11, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

No Amendments to the Specification are made herein.

No Amendments to the Claims are made herein.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.